

Make League Campaign Issue

At Coming Presidential Contest Whether Treaty and League are Ratified or Not

(By United Press)
Washington, Dec. 27.—An organization to take the league of nations into the 1920 election campaign as an issue whether senators ratify the treaty or not, has been predicted by senators who are opposed to any form of treaty ratification.

Persons in this organization are already at work and by the time the presidential primaries and state convention for the selection of delegates to the national convention is held, the organization representatives will be in every state, senators declared.

The movement is nonpartisan, and their purpose is to put on record, by one means or another, a presidential candidate for office. They want to get everything from constable to president on the league of nations issue. They are determined to get something about the league written into every platform.

They want to put partisan organizations everywhere on record whether for or against the league.

"The league of nations issue will never be settled to everyone's satisfaction until it has been voted on by people at large," said Senator Borah, discussing the organization.

Forbids Membership in American Legion

(By United Press)

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 27.—Under a penalty of a fine of \$100, members of Local No. 127, Auto, Aircraft and Vehicle Workers of America, today were forbidden to become members of the American Legion. The order was to be enforced on members by the by-laws adopted recently. Members of the local who are already members of the league must resign.

Pan Motor Drops Ad Forum Suit

Letters to Defendants Say Attorneys are Notified to Cancel Action

Minneapolis, Dec. 26.—The Pan Motor company of St. Cloud today notified members of the Minneapolis Advertising Forum that it has directed its attorneys, Morphy, Bradford & Cummins, 618 Capital National bank building, St. Paul, to take immediate steps to drop the suit of the Pan Motor company against the Minneapolis Advertising Forum and 46 members thereof. On Jan. 22, 1919, the Pan Motor company filed a suit in the United States district court in Minneapolis against the Minneapolis Advertising Forum and 46 of its members asking \$1,000,000 damages and alleging that the defendants "combined and conspired to ruin the plaintiff in the promotion of its stocks and bond sales." On March 15, 1919, an amended complaint was filed which mentioned particularly the vigilance bureau of the Minneapolis Advertising Forum, now called the Better Business bureau.

In its letter to defendants, dated Dec. 23, 1919, the Pan company says "we desire to point out to you that this action against you was instituted without the knowledge or authority of the board of directors. We regret any inconvenience this may have caused you."

Lighthouse Keepers Face Starvation

(By United Press)

Quebec, Canada, Dec. 27.—Facing starvation from twelve to fourteen persons are marooned on Belle Isle, the "famous sentinel of Canada" according to dispatches received here today.

Two lighthouse keepers with their wives and children and three Marconi operators are on the island according to reports, and no provisions have reached them for several weeks because of storms and ice floes.

The Canadian government steamer Montcalm left today in an effort to reach the island. Belle Isle is the most important lighthouse station at the north end of the Strait of Belle Isle between North Peninsula and Newfoundland and Labrador.

LIEUT. COL. AMETTE



Lieut. Col. Amette, United States medical corps, who is in charge of the transportation of food for the American relief commission to Roumania. This photo was made in Bucharest where Colonel Amette has his headquarters. His home is in Texas.

Mother of Accused Murderer Will Not Testify

(By United Press)

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Lillian Burger, mother of Harry New will not testify as to her alleged relation with United States Senator New. It was announced today.

An interruption in the trial of young New on charge of murdering his sweetheart, Frieda Lesser, came today because of the illness of an attorney for the prosecution.

Developments in Brown Murder Case

Farmer Testifies to Seeing Three Persons in Machine in Which Body of Murdered Man Was Found

(By United Press)

Mt. Clemens, Mich., Dec. 27.—Three passengers rode in the death car in which was found the bullet-riddled body of J. Stanley Brown, son of a Detroit cigar maker.

This developed as a certainty today, according to authorities, following the testimony of a farmer living in the vicinity of the road where the automobile was found.

One of these was Brown, the farmer was sure of that, a boy and girl occupied the rear seat. The machine was going along slowly and he was able to see clearly.

Just what effect this will have on the detention of Mrs. Ruth Brown, wife of the slain man, and her cousin, L. Provoso, was a matter of conjecture today. Authorities were reticent. Both Mrs. Brown and her cousin hotly denied they were in the machine with Brown Tuesday evening. Provoso acknowledged riding early in the evening, but said he left at 9:30 P. M.

Provost Released

Mt. Clemens, Mich., Dec. 27.—Lloyd Provost, held since yesterday as a material witness in the slaying of J. Stanley Brown, whose bullet-riddled body was found in his car on a lonely road Wednesday, was released from the county jail this afternoon.

"Lack of evidence" was given as the reason by the authorities. Although officials refused talk it was understood Mrs. Brown would be released soon.

Mrs. Brown attended the funeral of her husband in the custody of officials and was later returned to the jail.

Final Lists Issued of Germans Accused of War Crimes

(By United Press)

London, Dec. 27.—The final lists of Germans accused of war crimes have been issued by Great Britain and France it was reported today.

The accused will be tried in special courts in each country, it was said, and those found guilty will be tried by mixed court-martials, the proceedings to be determined by the allies.

WOOD ALCOHOL SOLD AS WHISKEY, TAKES MANY LIVES

Over 200 Persons Dead or Seriously Ill or Blind From Wood Alcohol Sold in Whiskey

Federal Officials are Co-operating With State and Municipal Authorities to Apprehend Guilty Parties

(By United Press)

At least 126 persons dead and 148 blind or seriously ill is the toll of wood alcohol poisoning since prohibition went into effect according to statistics gathered from various cities today. The total was swelled by 57 deaths in the last two days from poisoned whiskey in four New England states.

The casualties by cities are: New York, 52 dead, 100 blind. Chicopee, Mass., 35 dead, 7 seriously ill.

Hartford, Conn., 13 dead, 8 seriously ill.

Holyoke, Mass., 6 dead, 7 seriously ill.

Chicago, 4 dead, 6 ill.

Newark, N. J., 5 dead.

Springfield, Mass., 3 dead, 5 seriously ill.

Cleveland, Ohio, 3 dead, 15 ill.

Syracuse, N. Y., 2 dead.

Emporia, Pa., 2 dead.

Richmond, Va., 1 dead.

The deaths in New York, Syracuse and Richmond cover the entire period of prohibition. Those in the other cities occurred in the last few days.

Federal officials were cooperating with state and city authorities to arrest those responsible for the manufacture and distribution of the liquor. Three men in Chicopee were held on the charge of manslaughter. The whiskey sent into the New England states was believed to have been manufactured in New York. The authorities also were warning the public against purchasing liquor from "bootleggers."

In Washington officials of the internal revenue bureau said congress may be asked for additional legislative legislation to meet the present situation resulting from the sale of wood alcohol.

Record in Massachusetts

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 27.—Fifty-seven deaths from drinking wood alcohol "whiskey" was the record up till noon today of residents of Chicopee, Holyoke, Springfield and Hartford who had drunk poisoned liquor Christmas.

The state began to consider swift action today to bring to justice persons alleged to have been responsible for 35 deaths at Chicopee. Alexander Perry, proprietor of the American House has surrendered to authorities. He was at once arrested in police court on the charge of manslaughter connected with the death of Joseph Kine, one of the victims.

Chas. Perry, his brother, and Wm. Baker, both bartenders, were arrested and charged with manslaughter. Additional charges for illegal liquor selling was opened against the bartenders. They were held on \$10,000 bail on manslaughter and \$100 on illegal liquor selling. Following a plea of not guilty, the cases were continued to Jan. 3.

Federal Legislation Will be Asked

Washington, Dec. 27.—Additional federal legislation to cope with the sale of wood alcohol may be asked of congress officials of the internal revenue bureau said today.

A prohibition tax on wood alcohol was one remedy suggested and the amendment to the pure food law making it a crime to sell wood alcohol as a beverage is also under consideration. In the meantime several government departments are working to stop the sale of wood alcohol as a beverage and to apprehend sellers of the drink that caused deaths throughout the country.

Searching for Guilty Parties

New York, Dec. 27.—Federal, state and city officials were cooperating today in searching for persons here who mixed wood alcohol with "whiskey" causing the death of at least thirty persons in Connecticut and Massachusetts and the serious illness and blindness of scores of others.

The authorities were said to have learned that twelve barrels of this was manufactured and sold to New

England dealers for \$1,000 a barrel. Arrests were expected to be made shortly.

Thirteen Are Dead and Eight More are Expected to Die From Drinking Whiskey Containing Wood Alcohol

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 27.—Thirteen men are dead and eight in a serious condition as result of drinking whiskey containing wood alcohol. Two of the deaths occurred early this morning and physicians said the other men are expected to die within a few hours.

Seventeen Minnesota Overseas Men Arrive

(By United Press)
St. Paul, Dec. 27.—Seventeen Minnesota service men arrived from overseas on the steamship President Grant at New York Christmas day. A telegram was received at the office of Governor Burnquist today stating their arrival.

2 Years Imprisonment for Winnipeg Conspirator

(By United Press)
Winnipeg, Canada, Dec. 27.—R. B. Russell, convicted on charge of seditious conspiracy, was today sentenced to two years at Stony Mount penitentiary by Justice Metcalf.

Germany Considers Note

(By United Press)
Berlin, Dec. 27.—The note demanding Germany's signature to the protocol was discussed by the cabinet last night. Germany still hopes to obtain additional concessions. It was rumored today, but with the greatest obstacle removed, sentiment was said to favor signing.

"Soviet Ark" Leaving New York Harbor With 249 Deported "Reds"

This photograph shows the "Soviet Ark," the United States transport Buford, getting under way in Gravesend Bay, New York Harbor, after the last of 249 "Reds," including Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman had been placed on board for deportation. Captain Hitchcock sailed

with sealed orders but it is understood that he is given considerable latitude so that he may be governed by conditions. It is the general opinion that the Buford will not go direct to Cronstadt, the only feasible port in Soviet Russia, but will touch at some neighboring country—Fin-

land, Estonia or Courland—from where the undesirables will be given safe transfer over the Russian border. There is a heavy military guard to suppress any attempts of the 249 men and three women to cause trouble.

Shipping Board Will Consider

(By United Press)
Washington, Dec. 27.—Sale of shipping board passenger liners, both completed and building, will be considered at a meeting of the board of directors to be held soon, it was learned today.

Plans for the sale of former German liners are already going forward. Officials explained that the sale, "if decided upon" would not cause the abandonment of any of the steamer lines established or contemplated, since the purchase agreement would include a provision that it would have to be operated under the American flag.

E. C. DRURY



E. C. Drury, Ontario's Premier-elect, the unanimous choice of the United Farmers of Ontario and who was also supported by the labor group in the legislature, is already experiencing some opposition because of his cabinet selections.

Three Iowa Children Killed by Gasoline Blast; Mother Burned

Sioux City, Iowa, Dec. 26.—Ruby Bolten, 15 years old; Opal Bolten, 4 years old, and William Bolten, 3 years old, children of Charles B. Bolten, farmer, living near Anthon, are dead as the result of an explosion which occurred when Ruby Bolten mistook gasoline for kerosene in relighting a fire. The children's mother was seriously burned, but is expected to recover.

"Billy" Dansey May Be Alive

(By United Press)
Hammonton, N. J., Dec. 27.—A child answering the description of the missing Billy Dansey has been found in Collinsville, Oklahoma, E. White, father of the man accused of the child's murder, said today.

White turned over to Arthur Bolte, attorney for his son, a letter he received from the chief of police at Collinsville. The letter is said to have stated that the Collinsville police had under surveillance a man and woman and little boy answering to the description of the lost "perfect baby."

A number of items of identification given by the Collinsville police said coincided with that of Billy Dansey. White said his son's attorney was investigating the possibility that the latest finding might be the missing Hammonton child.

Police Officials Confirm Story

Oklahoma City, Okla., Dec. 27.—A child has been found in Collinsville, Okla., who said his name was Dansey and who answers to the description of Billy Dansey, a dispatch regarding the Billy Dansey kidnapping mystery from Chief of Police Auton at Collinsville stated today. He communicated with authorities at Hammonton, N. J., regarding the child. The child was in Tulsa, this afternoon, Auton stated, over the telephone. He said no arrests had been made and he had hoped to keep the matter from being made public until Hammonton officials had arrived, but since White had given out the information, he had to make arrests immediately. The child was first seen by him on a train between Collinsville and Tulsa he said.

American and Russian Bolsheviks Work Together

Berlin, Dec. 27.—American and Russian bolsheviks are working "hand in hand," a representative of the Jewish international union, who today returned from two years in Russia, declared.

The Russian Soviet leaders pin much hope of the lifting of the blockade against their country on "American comrades" the representative said.

W. C. T. U. Head Goes to Cuba

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Miss Anna Adams Gordon, head of the W. C. T. U., today possessed a passport for Cuba and Europe. Forty others have applied for passports for Cuba but with evidence of different purpose in mind. Miss Gordon made no comment on whether the Cuban trip is to plan a temperance campaign in that country.

Presbyterian Church Enters Fight For World Wide Prohibition

Program Also Includes Abolishing Cigarettes, and Regulating Theatres and Dance Halls

(By United Press)

New York, Dec. 27.—The Presbyterian church today entered a fight to bring world-wide prohibition and abolish cigarettes.

In the annual program the church announced it will work for the following:

Elimination of the breweries and distilleries in foreign fields. Regulation of theatres and dance halls. Study of marriage and divorce. Close supervision of moving picture. Elimination of social diseases. Use of narcotic drugs and use of alcohol at home.

The church has set aside \$50,000 to start the fight against breweries and distilleries in foreign mission fields it was announced.

Industrial Commission Will Report Monday

Other Events Will Occur that Will Have a Great Bearing on Industrial Conditions for the Coming Year

(By United Press)

Washington, Dec. 27.—An event that will have a vital effect on the industrial situation in the United States is scheduled for the last week of the year 1919—a year of strikes and walkouts.

On the outcome of the event, which will get under way Monday, hangs the hope of government officials that 1920 will prove a year of industrial peace and record production.

The first report of President Wilson's industrial commission appointed to work out these plans for preventing trouble between labor and capital will be made public.

The first meeting of the three-men tribunal, called for investigating the coal controversy, will also be held.

Railroad union heads will meet to outline further action on their demand for increased wages, which they wish to settle before the railroads go back to private ownership March 1.

The industrial commission will propose a new set of machinery for preventing strikes, while the first aim of the commission has been to bring about a more thorough understanding between capital and labor. The first step must be to stop trouble which curtails production and causes employers and employees great financial losses and serves only to widen the breach which the commission hopes to close.

Indians Confer With Governor

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Dec. 27.—Three full-blooded Chippewa Indians called at the capital to seek the assistance of Gov. Burnquist toward passage of a bill to help full blooded Indians of Minnesota to retain tribal land.

The Indian chiefs were George Waters, Bishop Littlewolf and William Luskins.

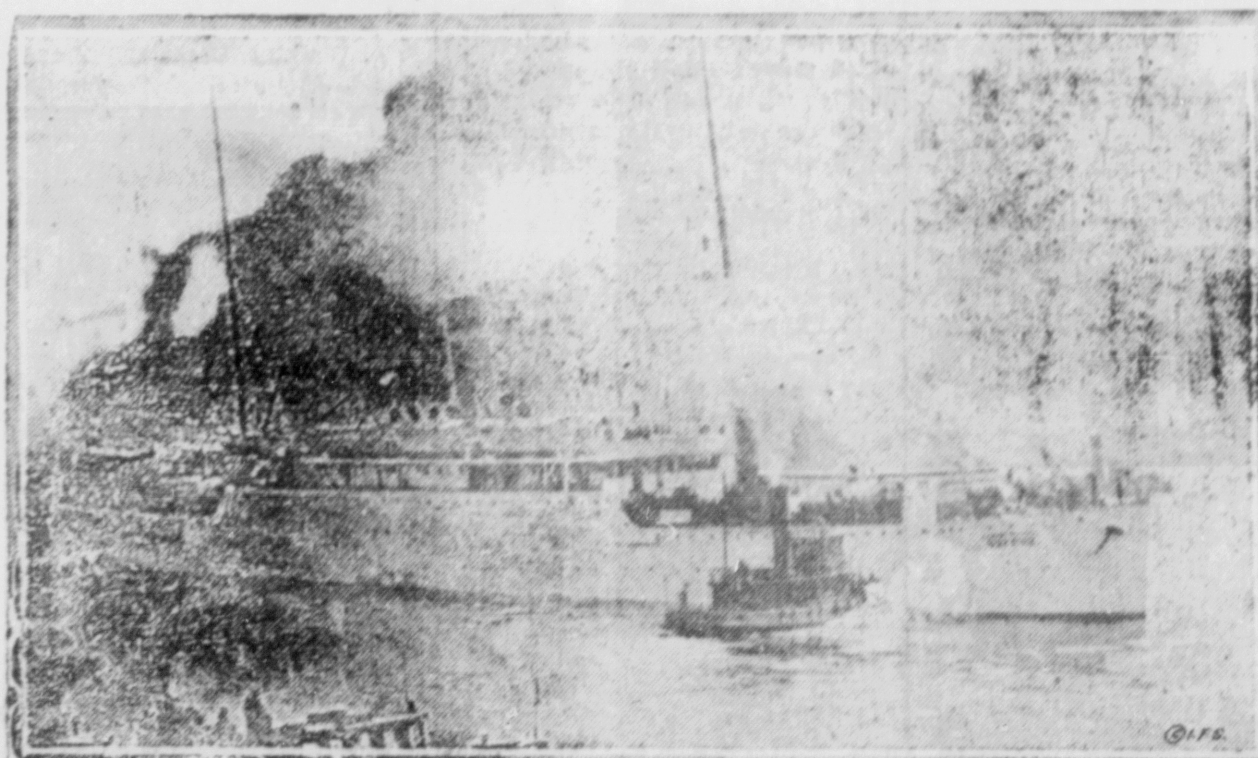
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THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for next 24 hours:
Minnesota—Snow tonight, some-
what warmer in north portion, Sun-
day generally fair.

North Dakota—Generally fair to-
night and Sunday, somewhat colder
in the west portion tonight.

Co-operative observer's record, 6
P. M.—
Dec. 26—Maximum 34, minimum
25. Reading in evening, 26. West
wind. Clear.
Dec. 27—Minimum during night,
14.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

December 21 was the shortest day
of the year.

For Spring Water phone 264 if
Mrs. Wm. Rodenkirchen went to
St. Paul for a short visit.

Wilfred Canan (Billican) is the
guest of relatives in the city.

Jonathan apples, \$2.98 box, Koop
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Miss Kathryn Canan of Minneapo-
lis is visiting her father, W. H. Can-
an.

Rev. Elov G. Carlson went to Pine
River where he held Christmas ser-
vices.

Crystal Spring Water, \$1.00 month.
L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

Mrs. H. L. Debill has gone to St.
Cloud for a week's visit with rela-
tives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Willing spent
the Christmas holidays with relatives
in St. Cloud.

Get a sack of Occident Flour
and let it tell its own story.
If not satisfactory—return it.
1711f

Carl Jabs of Minneapolis is the
guest of friends in the city during
the holidays.

Come and see our fine selection of
New Year cards. H. P. Dunn, drug-
gist. 17443

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Delaney of Min-
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ing the holidays.

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Miss Dorothy Crosby of Duluth ar-

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friend, Miss Marie Clark.

Miss Ella Hanson of Deerwood vis-
ited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans
Hanson, during the holidays.

Carload coke, furnace size, just re-
ceived. Plenty of egg size hard coal
on hand at Turcotte Bros. Prompt
delivery. 174tf

Clearance sales will be put by some
of the stores of the city. Watch the
Dispatch for the advertisements.

O. H. Bouma, superintendent of the
Brainerd Model Laundry, was at
Minneapolis on business matters.

Mrs. A. D. Berthiaume and little
son Judd, have gone to St. Paul to
see her mother, called there by her
sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Nelson,
of 1720 Laurel street, have had as
their guests, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nel-
son, of Aitkin.

Let a New Year card carry your
best wishes, new line at H. P.
Dunn's, druggist. 17443

Miss Marie Clark, who has a stu-
dio in Duluth, is home for the hol-
idays visiting her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. D. M. Clark.

L. L. Foote, manager of the Dower
Lumber Co. of Manganese, spent
Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. P. F.
Grondin and family.

A new smokestack is being attached
to the gas plant and upon Sam Bour-
quin and H. L. Debill has devolved
the task of painting it.

Personal property tax lists have
been compiled at the court house and
clerks are now going over the foot-
ings, checking them up.

Guests at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Hans Erickson are their daugh-
ters, the Misses Gladys and Selma
Erickson, of Minneapolis.

Send New Year cards to those who
sent you Christmas cards, beautiful
one at H. P. Dunn's, druggist. 17443

Mrs. Nancy A. Epard of 111 Myrtle
street has sold her home to A. E.
Evans. She will leave soon for Min-
neapolis to spend the winter.

"A Prince There Was" plays at the
Miner theatre in St. Cloud tonight
and at Brainerd Sunday evening. Ad-
vance sales of seats have been large.

All well bred people buy "Yankee
Bread," there is none so good and
wholesome because it is made at that
clean and sanitary "Yankee Bak-
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Stanley Quinn and Sigrand Olson
are leaving today to study wire and
wireless telegraphy at the Dodge In-
stitute of Telegraphy at Valparaiso,
Indiana.

The Dispatch will soon publish
once in the Daily and once in the
Weekly a large group of Brainerd
business men extending to their pat-
rons a Happy New Year greeting.

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to take advantage of the Holiday Dis-
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tle arms today. Care should be tak-
en by parents that little ones do not
catch cold. If arms and shoulders
are very painful, the arm should be
placed in a sling.

Mrs. Peter Forsberg was awarded
the pedestal as a prize given by the
Patek Furniture Co. Her number was
51. Each purchaser at the store
received a number and Mrs. Forsberg
was the lucky one, the prize distri-
bution occurring on Christmas eve.

Electric signs recently placed in
position by F. H. McCahey include
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Corn—No. 3 yellow \$1.46.
Oats—No. 3 white \$0.1-8 to \$1
3-8.

Barley—Choice \$1.53 to \$1.57.
Rye—No. 2 \$1.74 1-2 to \$1.75.
Flaxseed—Fancy \$4.55 to \$4.60.

South St. Paul Livestock
Cattle—Receipts 5600; market
firm; top price \$15; bulk of sales
\$4.50 to \$15.

Hogs—Receipts 4200; market 15
and 30c higher; top price \$13.40;
bulk of sales \$13.35 to \$13.40.

Sheep—Receipts 7500; market
steady; top price \$15.50; bulk of
sales \$9.25 to \$15.50.

St. Paul Hay Market
Timothy—No. 1 \$27; No. 2 \$26;
No. 3 \$20.
Clover Mixed—No. 1 \$26; No. 2
\$23.
Alfalfa—Standard \$35; No. 1 \$34.

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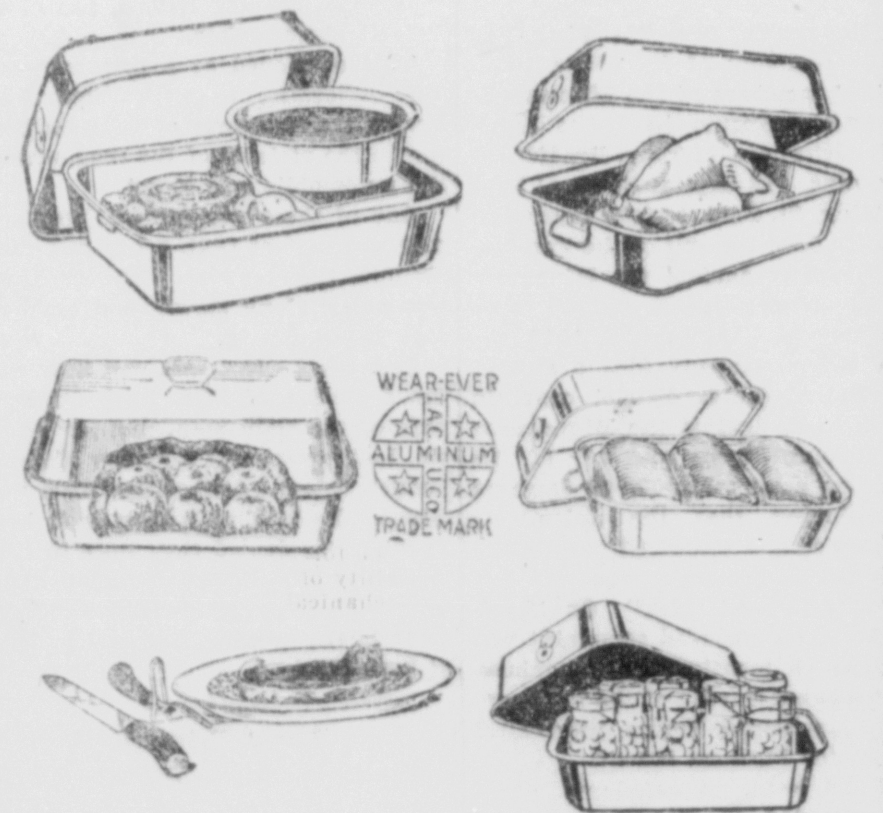
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WOMAN'S REALM

XMAS PROGRAM

Given at the Manganese School Was Largely Attended

Song, "Holy Night"—Upper grades.
Recitation, "Xmas Holly"—Ruby Grande.

Dialogue, "A Plan That Failed"—Tony S. Leak.

"Story of Xmas"—Ardath Grande.
"Hard Time For George"—Fred Bates.

Song, "Up on the House Top"—Upper grades.

"Wood Fire"—Slami Pihlaja.
"Im a Little Boy"—Bruno Nikula.

"Message of the Bells"—Upper grade boys.

"The Best Day"—Francis Pihlaja.
"A Letter From Santa"—Martha Freberg.

"The Night Before Xmas"—Ben-ton Ramey.

"A Christmas Guest"—Anna Scull.

"A Song in the Air"—Alma Hendrickson.

"My Xmas Stocking"—Anton Sterk.

"The Xmas Saint"—Corrine Aree-kovich.

"A Little Girl"—Lorna Grande.

"A Truth"—Leslie Bailey.

Candle Drill—12 primary girls and one boy.

"I'd Like to Be a Santa"—Marvin Grande.

"Jingle Bells"—Upper grades.

"O Let us Wind the Holly"—Lilli-an Nikula.

Play, "The Spirit of Xmas"—Up-
per grade girls.

Song, "Jingle Bells"—Upper grades.

Play, "The Spirit of Xmas"—Up-
per grade girls.

"Wooden Shoes"—Fanny Scull.

Song, "Brave Little Fairies"—12
primary girls.

"Do You Know What I'd Do?"—
Mildred Freberg.

"Santa Claus"—Ruth Meacham.

"Xmas Angels"—Mary Scull.

"A Riddle"—John Westaway.

"Speak Kind Words"—Milly Dross.

"A Xmas Carol"—Alleen Nikula.

"A Display of Toys"—Lynol Foote
and primary class.

"Xmas Everywhere"—Mildred Mea-
cham.

"Xmas Legend"—Henrietta Bates.

"Xmas in the Kitchen"—Fanny Scull.

"Way to Xmas Land"—Homer and
Ivan Dimmick.

"A Letter to Santa"—Anna Sterk.

"The Night Before Xmas"—Anna Scull.

A play, "Top of the World"—Pri-
mary class.

This program was very well at-
tended people coming from Wolford,
Trommald and Perry Lake. Miss

Anna F. Dugan and Miss Fern G.
Grimmer, teachers.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Dec. 1—Lewis Herdig and Stella
G. Austenson.

Dec. 1—Clarence William Beliveau
and Hazel Van Sickle.

Dec. 2—Harold Berg Olson and
Gudrund Lorence Olsen.

Dec. 2—Arthur Norman Brekke of
Hennepin county and Ida Marie Reid.

Dec. 3—Simon I. Tranness and
Bertha L. Thorson.

Dec. 4—Hugh W. Dayton and
Thelma Pratt.

Dec. 6—Harry William Peterson
of Todd county and Mary Bacon.

Dec. 10—Enos Cline and Ida Wil-
son.

Dec. 17—Harry Leonard Hauck of
St. Louis county and Maude Sever-
ance.

Dec. 17—Richard Jones and Oka
Katherine Everding.

Dec. 20—Oscar Edwin Erickson
and Minnie Christine Soderman.

Dec. 20—Ivan Larson of Hennepin
county and Tillie Axtell.

Dec. 24—George Graft of St. Louis
county and Clara Dahl.

Dec. 24—John Curtis Hamilton
and Alma Florence Dugan.

Dec. 24—Lewis Leroy Foote and
Fern Georgenne Grimmer.

Dec. 27—Dewey John Albrecht of
Brown county and Della Schiel.

Dugan-Hamilton

Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, a
quiet wedding took place when Anna
Florence Dugan of this city became
the bride of John Curtis Hamilton of
Manganese.

The bride is a charming young
lady having been educated in the
Brainerd schools. She has been
teaching in Crow Wing county
schools for the past seven years and
is at present teaching at Manganese.

The groom is a young miner em-
ployed at the "Ida May."

The bridal party were attended by
Miss Fern G. Grimmer of Brainerd
and L. L. Foote of Manganese.

The young couple will make their
home in Manganese.

Worth Pondering Over.

Did you ever hear of a man who
had striven all his life faithfully and
singly toward an object and in no
measure obtained it? Did ever a man
try heroism, magnanimity, truth, sin-
cerity and find that there was no ad-
vantage in them, that it was a vain
endeavor?—Thoreau.

Daily Thought.

The world is a comedy to those who
think, a tragedy to those who feel.—
Horace Walpole.

London Family of Seven, Unable to Rent Home, Make Novel Appeal



London as well as American cities
is having great difficulty with its
housing problem. This photograph,
taken in the English capital, shows
a man walking through the streets,
accompanied by his wife and their
five children, bearing an appeal to
some good Samaritan for shelter. All
of the children are under five years
of age.

Bacon-Peterson

A wedding just made public is that
of Miss Mary Bacon, pretty and
charming daughter of Mrs. L. A. Bac-
on of Brainerd, to Harry William
Peterson, which occurred Dec. 17 at
St. Paul's Episcopal church in Min-
neapolis. Rev. G. G. Bennett officiat-
ing and the witnesses being Mrs. Ol-
ive Ramberg and E. J. Haynes.

The bridegroom is in railway ser-
vice between Staples and Fargo. The
happy couple will make their home
in Staples. The Dispatch joins with
their many friends in extending best
wishes for their continued happiness
and prosperity.

Episcopal Church Seeks Five "Ships" to Win Its Nation-Wide Campaign

Rev. George Craig Stewart,
D. D., rector of St. Luke's Epis-
copal church, Evanston, Ill., for-
merly a chaplain in the A. E. F.,
says the nation-wide campaign of
the Episcopal church is a cam-
paign for "ships." They mean
"winning the war," he said, just
as much as the ships asked for
by the United States shipping
board or by Lloyd George. The
"ships," Doctor Stewart sug-
gests, are the following:

1. MEMBER-SHIP. We are
members of His body.
2. DISCIPLE-SHIP. It is one
thing to be a Christian, another
to be a devoted Christian dis-
ciple.
3. FELLOW-SHIP. The cam-
paign lays emphasis on Holy
Communion together with God
in Christ.
4. STEWARD-SHIP. It in-
cludes a campaign for money.
St. Paul said, "It is not the
money I am anxious for, but for
the interest that accumulates in
this way to your divine credit."
5. LEADER-SHIP. Not mere-
ly a campaign for more candi-
dates for holy orders, but for
leaders among our laity also.

Tank for Flowers.

A circular tank to be placed on the
rims of flower pots has been inven-
ted from which a tube extends to convey
water to plant roots slowly and evenly.

President's Chief Cook Lured Away by Cupid



Miss Sigrid Charlotte Nilsson
President Wilson now knows what
real trouble is. His cook is going to
leave him for Christian Larsen of
Fort Washington, Md., whose bride
she will become during the holidays.
Miss Sigrid Charlotte Nilsson has
been chief cook at the White House
for four years. She went with the
president and Mrs. Wilson to France
and accompanied them on their west-
ern trip. She was naturalized only
about a month ago. Miss Nilsson is
the sixth marriage license issued
to occupants of the White House dur-
ing the two Wilson terms, one being
to the President himself.

His Client Did Not Perform Operation

Pawpaw, Mich., Dec. 27.—If an il-
legal operation was responsible for
the death of Maude Tabor, it was per-
formed by a third person and not by
the woman's husband, Joseph Virgo,
held here on the charge of murder,
his attorney said.

Attorney W. J. Barnard, chief
counsel for the defense, said only a
skilled physician could perform such
an operation.

Uprising Reported at Irkutsk, Siberia

(By United Press)
Washington, Dec. 27.—An uprising
was started by social revolutionists
on Christmas day at Irkutsk, Siberia,
now the capital of Admiral Kolchak's
forces, the state department was
advised today. Kolchak forces con-
tinue to hold the city however.

The American Red Cross party
which has been in that vicinity was
reported safe. The representative of
the allies there have not left the city.

Apes Have Long Hair.

The black apes of Guinea have long,
silky hair, and their fur is used for
muffs and capes.

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Send Commission to Germany

To Take Inventory of all Docks at
Hamburg and Danzig
(By United Press)

Paris, Dec. 27.—The supreme coun-
cil today decided to send a commis-
sion to Germany to take an inven-
tory of all docks at Hamburg and
Danzig. The council's action follow
charges that Germany is withholding
part of the assets in marine material
demanded by the allies as reparation
for the sinking of the Scapa Flow
fleet.

A report of a conference between
Germany and French military leaders
today showing the Germans had not ordered
sufficient transportation facilities for
troop movements in connection with
the carrying out of the treaty terms
for plebiscites.

The Sistine Chapel.

What is most admirable about these
colossal figures of prophets and sibil-
ls of the Sistine chapel—and this we can
never weary of admiring—is that not
only are they decorations of a hall,
the adornments of a chapel, but men—
men who have suffered our sorrows and
experienced our disappointments;
whose foreheads are furrowed
by the wrinkle of doubt and whose
hearts are transfixed by the chill of
disenchantment.—Emilio Castelar.

OLD PAPERS—5c BUNDLE

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Bright eyes, a clear skin and a body
full of youth and health may be
yours if you will keep your system
in order by regularly taking

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DRINK HOT TEA!

Get a small package of Hamburg
Bread Tea at any pharmacy. Take a
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sieve and drink a teaspoon full at any
time during the day or before retiring.
It is the most effective way to break
a cold and cure grip as it opens the
pores of the skin, relieving congestion.
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up a cold.

Try it the next time you suffer from
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and harmless.

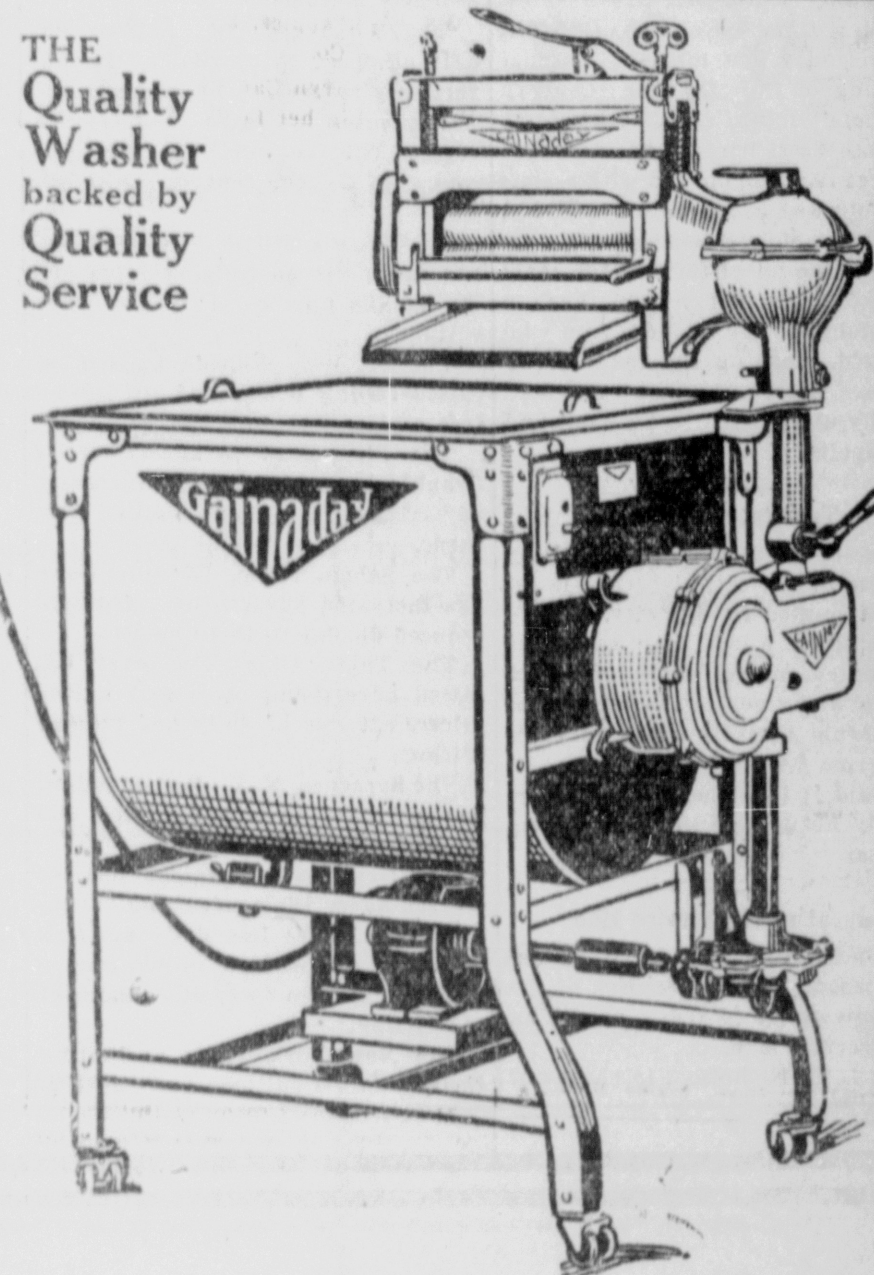
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Limber up! Get a 30 cent bottle of
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ing and construction of many large and important structures, due to
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Princeton High and Grade School, Sisseton High School, \$50,000
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banks, garages and other buildings of various structures, and will
be erected in the new Ada High School and Borup Consolidated
School.

Such service has placed this firm in the forefront in the North-
west and comprises the experience and ability of an organization of
expert men—Architectural designers, mechanical and heating engi-
neers, estimators and superintendents.

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HOLIDAY DANCE

Monday, Dec. 29th, 1919

Gardner Hall---9 P. M.

Good Music

Follow the Crowd

:::

Tickets \$1.00

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1919

NORTHWEST NEWS

Veteran Traveling Men

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 27—Veteran travelling men, more than 200 in number today met for the annual gathering of the Quarter Century Travellers' club of the Northwest at the Ryan hotel here today.

The convention opened with a banquet, followed by election of officers, transaction of business and the narration of the latest tales of the road.

The organization which has a membership of 280 includes men who have sold goods on the road for 25 years or more. Meetings are held annually alternating in St. Paul and Minneapolis.

Tomatoes in Attic

Ashland, Wis., Dec. 27—Growing tomatoes in the attic is the latest trick attempted in this city.

John Litzner, a local man, early this fall planted several tomato vines in the attic and much to the surprise of townspeople recently came to town with a ripe tomato.

He said if the vines continue successfully he will go in for it strong next year.

Educating Ex-Service Men

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 27—Minnesota, according to the records of the state university, is today educating 250 ex-service men.

Dean E. E. Nicholson, in charge of

student affairs, acting under the federal vocational education board, hands out the checks to the men every month covering their living expenses. Tuition, books and any tutoring recommended by the dean are also paid for by the government.

The men are represented in almost every college at the university, the form of their training being decided by the federal board of Minneapolis and approved by Washington.

NEWSPAPERS HARD HIT BY NEWS PRINT SHORTAGE

The White Plains, N. Y., Daily Reporter and Daily Argus have consolidated.

The Stockton, Ill., News has been discontinued.

The Hartford, Conn., Globe could not go on due to scarcity of print paper and the high cost of other elements of production and has been absorbed by the Hartford Courant.

The Ithaca Journal and the Ithaca News have been consolidated as an economy movement.

The Waukegan, Ill., Gazette has been absorbed by the Daily Sun. Advertising rates have been raised and selling price increased to 3 cents a copy. This consolidation effects a saving of 25 per cent in white paper.

The Winston-Salem, N. C., Sentinel has raised its advertising rates and limited the number of pages each edition.

The Key West, Florida, Citizen has raised selling prices and cut off all free copies.

The Pine Bluff, Arkansas, Daily Graphic has reduced size, increased advertising rates and limited returns.

The Salem, Mass., Evening News has increased advertising rates, and reduced display to three months.

The Tulsa, Okla., Democrat has raised advertising rates and selling prices, cut size of daily and Sunday editions.

The Syracuse, N. Y., Post-Standard has increased advertising rates, and reduced display space.

The New York American has increased advertising rates, and is running four pages less daily and ten pages less on Sundays, in addition to eliminating from 40 to 50 columns of advertising.

The New York Times is limiting the size of its editions and omitting

"A Prince There Was" Is a Rare Character Comedy Treat



A Scene From "A Prince There Was."

You will love George M. Cohan's character comedy, "A Prince There Was," for its delightful atmosphere of romance and optimism.

"A Prince There Was" is an up-to-the-minute fairy tale, and through its witty dialogue and practical setting one finds the wholesomeness that pervades all of Mr. Cohan's writings.

Not a Moving Picture, but a real play. At the New Park Theatre Dec. 28.

approximately 50 columns of advertising daily.

Practically all the New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago newspapers and those of the larger eastern cities are increasing the ratio of the number of columns of advertising to the number of columns of news printed in each edition.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

Probably the most novel feature of "A Prince There Was," which is presented by Cohan & Harris, is the introduction of a pair of amateur detectives who have studied their "art" from watching actors play detectives on the screen.

The motion picture sleuth is their model in a search that gives the play its most amusing comedy situations.

AMUSEMENTS

SORRY WHEN PLAY IS OVER

Audience at Seattle Regrets Bidding Goodbye to "A Prince There Was"

(From Seattle Post-Intelligencer)
 It's much easier to quote intelli-

gent criticism than to make it up. I don't need to tell you that; so I'll quote, first informing you that the transcript is from testimony adduced last night at the Metropolitan theatre from evidence in favor of "A Prince There Was," and the jury, that is, the audience, agreed in the validity of the testimony.

Said she to him:

"My gracious, I'm sorry it's all over."

Said he, to her:

"Me too."

It has been something like fairy-land, you see, and one hates the rude awakening of reality. We all wished it would last longer.

Wealth of Real Sentiment

George M. Cohan is posed as the most sophisticated New Yorker that ever turned artistic handspins on Broadway—he has evolved its art, its clothes, its canes and its slang for Gotham, and has hoodwinked the world. Next to James Matthew Barrie I know nobody so incorrigibly sentimental, optimistic and full of faith as he.

"A Prince There Was" proves it. There is as much sentiment in it as in "Polynna," but oh, with how much surer and securer a touch it is laid on! The little girl in "A Prince There Was" is never permitted to annoy you with a preternatural wisdom nor become a juvenile horror with her infallibly accurate observations on life, death, the immortality of the soul, and drink. This child in "A Prince There Was" is just a dear kid, with a big imagination and the sweet faith that belongs to children because they do not scorn it.

And everything fabulous happens as it ought, not by reason of an oracular plague in a pinafore, but because George M. Cohan, who planned the play, must have it that way. Thus the blase young man of the first act becomes the energetic partner of a great business in the last act; the heroine, a struggling scribbler for unappreciative magazines, turns out first to be a successful and accepted ady of letters, and then affianced bride of the millionaire prince.

Lines to Be Remembered.

Every wanton and careless restraint of the will of the subject, whether practiced by a monarch, a nobility, or a popular assembly, is a degree of tyranny.—Blackstone.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

Best Theatre

TODAY

Bessie Barriscale

In

"Her Purchase Price"

Also

Sennett Comedy

"Up In Alph's Place"

Evening Only 7:30 and 9

Admission 10 and 20c
Tax Included

Community of Black Cats.

"The Island of Black Cats" is a name applied to Chatham Island in the Pacific ocean. It is overrun with black cats; indeed, cats of no other color are seen there. These animals live in the crevices of the lava foundation near the coast and subsist by catching fish and crabs, instead of rats and mice.

NEW PARK

TODAY

Robert Warwick

In

"Told In The Hills"

One of the most popular novels ever written, made into one of the finest pictures ever screened.

Scouts, Indians, soldiers, all the wondrous romance of the West as it was in the days of the pioneer.

The story of an exile whom love reclaimed, told in beautiful scenes that touch the heart or stir the blood. Come!

ALSO

Paramount Magazine

Admission 15c and 25c

Evening 7:30 & 9

Iodine for Scratches.

Scratches on dark oak furniture may be greatly improved in appearance by carefully painting the scars with iodine, using as many coats as necessary to produce the desired depth of color. When this is dry go over the whole piece of furniture with a good furniture polish.

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NEW PARK THEATRE

We personally recommend this as one of the most delightful and amusing comedys ever staged—also carrying the full Eastern cast—a play which is sure to please all our patrons.

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DETACHED LANDS CAUSE TAX LOSSES

Tracts of Wm. Spencer, P. M. Zakariasen and Dr. R. A. Beise Affect City and Schools

CAUSE A LOSS OF \$479.92

Still Subject, However, to Their Share of Bonded Indebtedness at Time of City and Schools

Detaching three tracts of land recently from the corporate limits of Brainerd after a hearing in district court will cause a loss to Brainerd of \$217.07 in city taxes and \$262.85 in city school taxes. The tracts, owned by Wm. Spencer, P. M. Zakariasen and Dr. R. A. Beise had a valuation of \$10,472 and were last assessed 25.10 mills for city schools and 20.25 mills for city taxes.

The county commissioners placed the detached lands in a "Second Assessment District." It is now reported that Oak Lawn township will have a petition to incorporate part of the lands in their domain and Crow Wing township desires a share too.

The three tracts, it will be remembered, are still subject to their share of indebtedness on account of bonds of the city and the city schools at the time of their being detached.

Following court proceedings involving the property mentioned, three other petitioners have applied to be detached from the city. These are: Emily S. Wright, the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 33, township 134, range 28; being in the northwest corner of the corporate limits of Brainerd, on the west side of the Mississippi river, containing 40 acres.

William D. McKay, the south half of the southeast quarter of section 33; the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter and lot 5 of section 34, township 134, range 28; being in the northwest corner of the city limits and on the west side of the Mississippi river, about 160 acres.

J. S. Weisz, the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 33, township 134, range 28; also in about same location west of Mississippi river and containing 40 acres.

SALVATION ARMY

Makes a Hundred People Happy From Funds Gathered by Christmas Kettle

In a single handed effort the Salvation Army, from funds gathered in from the Christmas kettle made over a hundred people happy with a good Christmas dinner. Thursday evening the Salvation Army hall was packed by a typical Salvation Army crowd who seemed to enjoy immensely the splendid program that had been arranged for the occasion. After the regular program candy, nuts and apples were given out to the entire crowd and every one went home well satisfied with the special occasion.

MONTHLY DEVOTIONAL MEETING

Of the Ministerial Association at the Zion Evangelical Church

The regular monthly meeting of the Brainerd Ministerial Association of a devotional nature will be held in the Zion Evangelical church at Northeast Brainerd, the church being located at 4th Avenue, and Forsyth Street. The pastor of the church, Rev. F. M. Ohms, will conduct the meeting. The brethren are urged to make a special effort to be present at this meeting. The meeting will open at the usual hour of 10:30 o'clock. Remember the date Monday, December 29th. Rev. Hans J. Wokner, secretary.

WITH THE PIN BUSTERS

The Boilermakers fast team defeated the Yankee Bakery contingent by some 200 pins. The Boilermakers bowled over 2800. The Yankee Bakery team included F. R. Zieke, Fred Cook, Happy England, J. Stephenson and Clemmens. On the Boilermakers were Sasser, Oelwein, Templeton, Bellefeuille and another.

Catarhal Deafness Cannot be Cured. By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarhal, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Druggists. 75c. P. J. Cheney & Co.,

J. C. Barber Has Passed Away

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 27.—J. C. Barber, prominent car truck manufacturer of Chicago and owner of a country estate "Twin Oaks" at Brainerd, passed away early Saturday morning. At his bedside were his daughter, Mrs. Anna B. Edgerton and sons, Lee and Frank of Chicago.

He was 75 years old. He had been sick a month or more. He was well known to many California people, having spent his winters there annually. Mr. Barber was a most patriotic man, during the world war doing his part to keep American industry at war pace. In the civil war, when a mere youth, he shouldered a gun and was wounded in battle, carrying a bullet in his body which never could be located.

The remains will be buried at Fond du Lac, Wis., beside those of his wife. He was a high degree Mason. No date for the last funeral rites has been fixed.

ANNUAL WATCH NIGHT SERVICE

To be Celebrated at the First Presbyterian Church on This New Year's Eve

IS TO BEGIN AT 10:30 P. M.

Ministers of Various Churches to Join in Services, Making 10 Minute Addresses

Annual watch night services will be celebrated at the First Presbyterian church on New Year's eve, the services commencing at 10:30 o'clock, as announced by the minister, Rev. W. J. Lowrie.

Various pastors of the city will join in the program, making ten minute addresses. Those signifying their intention of taking part are Rev. Fred Errington of the First Congregational church, Rev. E. A. Cooke of the First Methodist church, Rev. Arthur C. Smith of the First Baptist church. Others will join. There will be special music.

The program, complete in all details, will be given the Dispatch shortly before New Year.

SECEDING FROM THE CITY

A Dispatch reader has contributed the following:

We hear laments because certain tax payers, thru process of law, have had their property detached from the city, which means that Brainerd loses some of its taxable property. What is the reason, and what is the remedy.

The reason is that these people own land which is within the city limits but is used for farming purposes only, and which, however, is overvalued and taxed at the city rate and without getting city benefits.

The law recognized that farm-land does not derive benefits by being attached to or included within the corporate boundaries of a city, therefore, permits the owners thereof to withdraw from the corporation, provided the symmetry of the boundary line is not destroyed by such withdrawal of property.

The only conditions set down are that the tract must contain at least forty acres, must be used exclusively for farming, and the symmetry of the city's outline must not be destroyed by the withdrawal. Those conditions fulfilled, and there is nothing to stop the petitioner obtaining his request.

The only suggestion that occurs to us is that the assessor, or better still the Equalization Board, see to it that farm-lands within the city limits are not over assessed.

We are sorry to part company and see our friends go back to the woods. Some day their lands will be platted and then we will have them back with us. Perhaps we over-reached ourselves in the first place by taking them in.

Employment for Soldiers

Apply at the Home Service Section of the American Red Cross office in the Iron Exchange building to Rev. Eloy G. Carlson, between 1 and 2:00 P. M., at the Chamber of Commerce rooms.

Common Sense.

Common sense is science exactly so far as it fulfills the ideals of common sense; that is, sees facts as they are, or, at any rate, without the distortion of prejudice, and reasons from them in accordance with the dictates of sound judgment.—Huxley.

Benighted Albania.

Albania hasn't a newspaper, a mile of steam railroad or a postal system.

WHY GO TO CHURCH

"I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord." Ps. 122:1.

1. To the assembly of the called-out ones, the Church, the great commission has been given to "preach the Gospel to every creature," and to make known the "manifold wisdom of God" "unto the principalities and the powers in heavenly places."

2. The house of the Lord is intended to be the center for worship and instruction; and from the church, as from the Temple of old, the mind and will of God shall be made known unto the world.

3. If the people of our Nation should forsake God, despite His word, desecrate the Lord's Day, reject and crucify anew the Son of God and forsake the church, the doom of our country is sealed. "If ye forsake Him, He will forsake you." 2 Chron. 15:2. Righteousness exalteth a nation, but sin is the reproach of any people." Prov. 14:34.

Any one then who shall be worthy of the high title, "American Citizen" and be of the best blessing to our beloved country will seek to know and obey the will of the Lord. Is it possible that the one who has the welfare of the home, the community, the state and the nation at heart can stay away from the house of God and despise that for which it stands?

REV. P. ALFRED PETERSON,
Pastor of Swedish Baptist Church
Corner Oak and Tenth Sts.

WHERE TO WORSHIP

Swedish Baptist Church

Morning worship 10:30. Subject: "The Judgment Seat of Christ." Sunday school at 12. Evening service 7:30 English. Subject: "The Ten Virgins." Special singing. A cordial invitation is extended to worship with us. P. Alfred Peterson, pastor.

People's Congregational Church

Sunday school at 10 A. M. Preaching service 11 A. M. Christian Endeavor meeting 6:45 P. M., led by Rachel Templeton. A fine entertainment by the Sunday school at 7:30. The damages by fire in the church have been thoroughly repaired by Archie Templeton, and all are cordially invited to the services.—Rev. N. N. Sennett, pastor.

Presbyterian Church

Morning service at 10:30 o'clock. Sermon theme "The New Year Prospect." William Anderson will sing a solo. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon subject, "The Profitless." Special music. Sunday school at noon; primary department at 9:30; Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Miss Violet Greger, leader. All are welcome.—W. J. Lowrie, pastor.

Zion Lutheran Church

Corner Main and Broadway. Services Sunday morning at 10:30. The Ladies Aid meets at 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon. Communion and preaching services New Year's eve at 7:30. Services New Year's day at 10:30 a. m. The annual business meeting and election of officers of the congregation will be held January 1 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Paul G. Mueller.

THE SALVATION ARMY

Holiness meeting Sunday morning at 11 a. m. Company meeting at 3 p. m. Young Peoples Legion at 6:30 p. m. Salvation meeting 7:30 p. m. Every Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock we conduct a Band of Love class for the children. This is a fine thing for the boys and girls. Also each Friday evening a young people's meeting. Every one welcome. Cadet E. Johnson, assistant.

Swedish Bethany Church

Morning worship at 11 a. m. In the evening at 7 o'clock the Sunday school Christmas program which promises to be very good. It is too varied to give in detail, but come and see and hear.

The children meet at 12 noon on Sunday to exercise the program.

On Wednesday night there will be a Watch-night service with a program and social time at 9 p. m.

On New Year's day the regular annual business meeting at 2 p. m. P. G. Fallquist, minister.

First Congregational Church

Morning worship 10:30. Subject: "Approaching a New Year." Sunday school 11:45.

Evening service 7. Christmas exercises by the children of the Sunday school. An interesting and entertaining evening is in store for those who attend. The committee has done well. Shall we express our appreciation by being present.

Watch-night service in the Presbyterian church will take the place of the week evening service. Watch for the announcement of this service. Fred Errington, pastor.

The First Baptist Church

The Sabbath activities and worship begin with the Bible school session in charge of Supt. Geo. A. Beale at 9:45. Adult classes for ladies and men.

At 11 o'clock morning worship and sermon by the pastor Rev. Arthur C. Smith. Subject: "Retrospection or Looking Backward."

Evening service of song and sermon at 7:45. The pastor will preach the last of a series of subjects for December: "The Angel of Death." Appropriate music by choir and orchestra at Sunday school and evening service.

The Young Peoples society meets at 6:30 p. m. This is the last Sunday of the Old Year let every member of church and congregation be on hand at all services.

Zion Evangelical Church

Fourth Ave. and Forsyth St. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning service 11 a. m. In connection with this service the Annual Sunday school meeting will be held. Y. P. A. 6:45 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m. Subject: "Accounting Time." Next Wednesday evening Dec. 31 beginning at 8 p. m. we will observe Watch-night. First there will be election of officers of Ladies Aid; then follows Annual Business meeting. (Continued on page 6)

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Awful Thought.

At Sunday night supper, after Franklin and his parents had been out riding with some friends, his mother remarked that getting so much fresh air gave one a big appetite, whereupon Franklin observed: "Gee, mother, wouldn't you hate to cook for a bunch of aviators?"

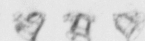
"Go to Halifax."

In England in the eighteenth century there was a peculiarly cruel judge who presided over the court at Halifax. One of his practices was to order the accused executed and send his case to a jury afterward. To be sent to Halifax became equivalent to conviction. Hence the expression.

WHERE TO WORSHIP

(Continued from page 5)

ing of congregation; then a social hour; at 11 p. m. the Watch-Night devotional service will begin. All are urged to attend. Fred M. Ohms, pastor.



St. Paul's Episcopal Church

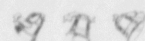
Morning prayer and sermon 10:30 a. m.

Sunday school 11:45 a. m.

Evensong and sermon 4:30 p. m.

The Sunday school Christmas entertainment will be held in the church on Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock and all parents and children of the church are cordially invited to be present. Under the direction of Mrs. Burnett the children have prepared a Christmas play to be presented at this time.

Thursday the first day of the New Year there will be a service in the church at 10:30 o'clock. A watch night service will be held in the Presbyterian church to which the members of this church are invited. This will be a union service and detailed information regarding the service will be found elsewhere in the church announcements. Rev. Hans J. Wolner, rector.



First Methodist Church

Rev. Dr. Hodgson, superintendent of the Duluth district, will preach at the morning service, Sunday Dec. 28. Dr. Hodgson always brings a splendid message and all will be glad to hear him.

In the evening the pastor will preach from the theme "A New Year's Resolution Worth While".

The church school meets at 12 M. using the graded lessons. The school had its Christmas service on Wednesday evening celebrating the White Christmas. A voluntary offering for the Near East Relief was taken amounting to \$80.00.

The Epworth League will hold its

Hats in the Ring, These Republicans and Democrats Are Waiting for Call to Head Presidential Tickets in 1920



service at 7 p. m. to which all the young people are invited.

The morning worship is at 10:30 a. m. and evening worship at 7:45 p. m.

The public is welcome to all these services. E. A. Cooke, minister.

Quick Change Artist.

Our idea of an independent man is one who can pin up the baby's outfit as quick as he can change tires on his motor car.—Dallas News.

Origin of "Blue Blood."

The expression "blue blood" had its origin in Spain, and was applied to the aristocrats of Castile and Arragon. After the Moors were driven out of Spain, the aristocracy was held to be those who could trace their lineage back to the time before the Moorish conquest, especially to the light-complexioned Goths. Their veins naturally appeared through the skin of a blue color, while the blood of the masses through their intermarriage with the Moors, showed dark upon their hands and faces.

PLAN RELIGIOUS WAR ON INDIANS

EPISCOPAL CHURCH NATION-WIDE CAMPAIGN TO EXTEND GOOD INFLUENCE.

Extension of church work among American Indians has been announced as one of the features of the work of the nation-wide campaign of the Episcopal church. Surveys of the dioceses of Duluth and Fond du Lac, submitted in connection with plans for the campaign, have revealed some interesting data on the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota and the Oneida Indians of Wisconsin, both in the work already under way and in plans for its extension.

The Duluth survey, submitted by Bishop James Low Morrison, requests \$26,000 for educational work among the Chippewas. It is proposed to establish an Indian industrial school at White Earth at a cost of \$14,000. As the diocese owns the buildings it will be necessary merely to equip them with school apparatus and dormitory furnishings. A white clergyman and an Indian catechist are required, as well as a fund of \$14,000 for running expenses. For the Cass Lake School for Indian Girls the sum of \$6,000 is asked of the nation-wide campaign for the three years. Aid is asked toward paying salaries of the eight Indian clergymen.

For the Oneidas in Fond du Lac diocese \$23,000 is asked. This permits remodeling of the Indian high school at Hobart, Wis., which the government has abandoned, as well as paying for teachers and other expenses. The school property has reverted to the Oneidas. Leaders of the tribe asked Bishop R. W. Weller to apply to the nation-wide campaign for funds with which to continue the education work. Many of the Indian youths were soldiers who learned the value of better education in the war. A comprehensive plan for remodeling the plant and continuing the work was submitted in the campaign survey.

Opals and Pearls.

We suppose that those people who call pearls "tears" do so because both are globular and limpid. It is suggested by resemblance. The ancients believed that pearls are formed of drops of dew that fall into the shells of the oysters at night. If the dew was pure the pearls would be beautiful and clear; if impure, they would be dull and muddy. We do not find that the opal is considered unlucky. In mottoes made of the first letter of gems it is used to spell "good luck." It is also used to spell the word "hope."

AROUND THE WORLD

Whom? Minn.—"A few years ago I had a severe attack of stomach poisoning which left my blood in very bad condition. I tried a great many so-called 'cures' but felt no better until a friend suggested my trying a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which gave me immediate relief. It is surely an excellent tonic, does not purge, and is not objectionable to the taste. I was living in England when I first took the 'Discovery' and have since been around the world and always carried a bottle of the 'Golden Medical Discovery' right with me. I would not be without it and am only too pleased to be able to recommend it."—WALTER H. DUNSTON, Willow Farm.

PROMINENT WOMEN

Kennebec, S. Dak.—"A few years ago during expectancy I got all run-down and felt that I needed something to strengthen me. I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it soon had me feeling fine. I did not suffer and my baby was a strong healthy child and always has been the picture of health which I think I owe to this medicine. We also use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets and they have always given perfect satisfaction. I have Dr. Pierce's Medical book, the Common Sense Medical Advisor, which has been a wonderful help to me and my family. I think there is no better medicine made than Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and can highly recommend it to all."—MRS. G. W. COX.

YOUNG WOMANHOOD

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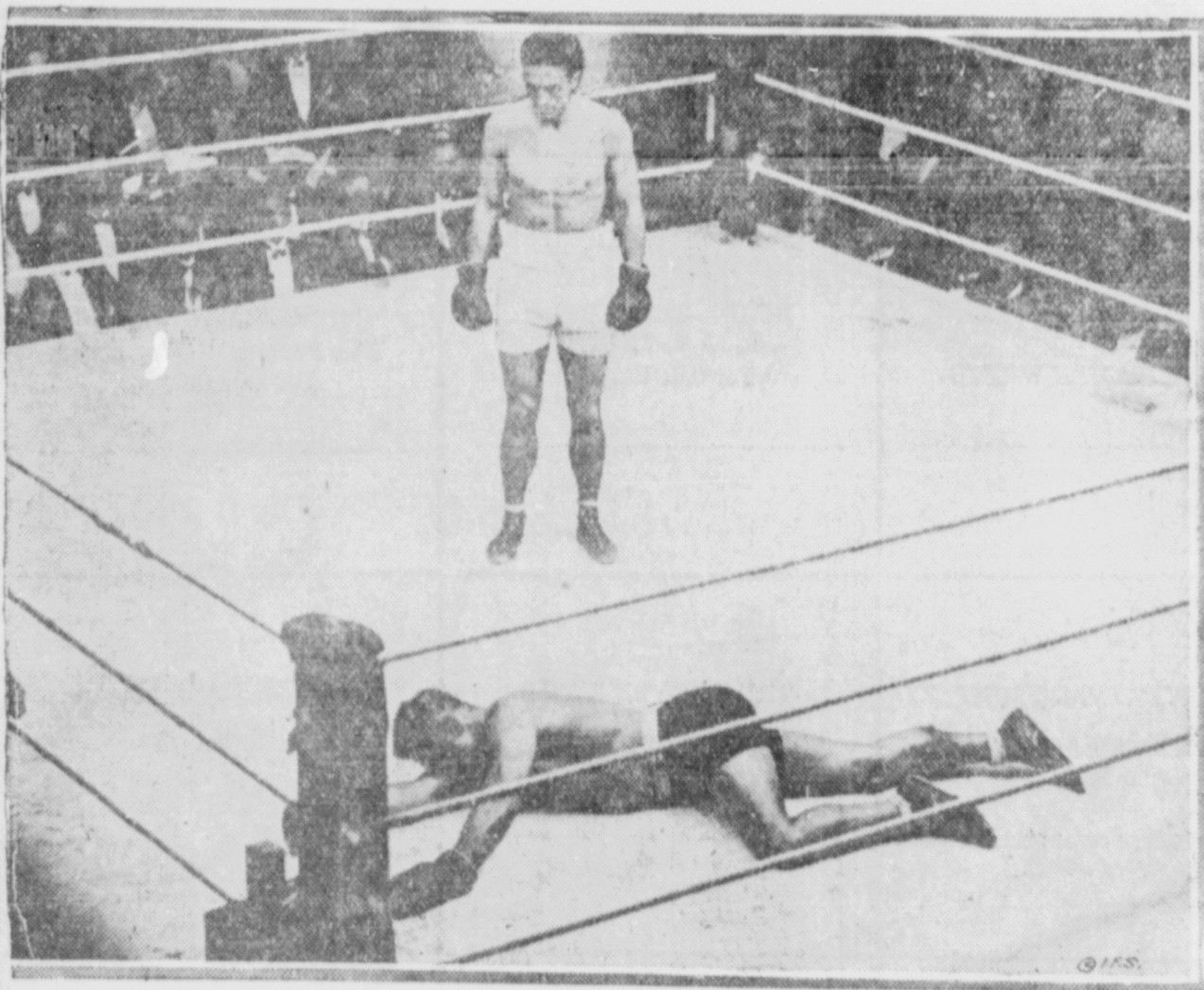
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First Photographs Showing Joe Beckett Taking the Full Count and Carpenter Carrying Englishman to His Corner After the Knockout



These are the first photographs received from London of the Georges Carpenter-Joe Beckett fight. The upper picture shows the English heavy-weight taking the count when Carpenter had felled him with a right to the jaw after only one minute and fourteen seconds of fighting. In the other photograph the Frenchman is seen practically carrying Beckett still dazed and unable to stand, to his corner. Carpenter's knockout punch had so much power behind it that it was some time before Beckett's head cleared enough for him to realize that he had been decisively beaten before the first round was half over.

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